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ELIAS C. ALVORD (1942)

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Mr. Vernon A. Williams Secretary Surface Transportation Board Washington, D.C. 20423

Dear Mr. Williams:

Enclosed for recordation pursuant to the provisions of 49 U.S.C. Section 11301(a) are two (2) copies of a Partial Release dated as of January 22, 2002, a secondary document as defined in the Board's Rules for the Recordation of Documents.

The enclosed document relates to the Memorandum of Chattel Mortgage and Security Agreement Modification Agreement which was previously filed with the Board under Recordation Number 23416-D.

The names and addresses of the parties to the enclosed document are:

Secured Party:

Allfirst Bank

25 South Charles Street Baltimore Maryland 21202

[Debtor:

Midwest Railcar Coporation 3 Professional Park Drive

Suite B

Maryville Illinois 620621

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A description of the railroad equipment covered by the enclosed document is:

Five (5) woodchip gondolas, formerly SP 354872, SP 354897, SP 354979, SP 354988 and SP 355047 (now MWCX 100141, MWCX 100134, MWCX 100135, MWCX 100124 and MWCX 100137 respectively).

A short summary of the document to appear in the index is:

Partial Release.

Also enclosed is a check in the amount of \$28.00 payable to the order of the Surface Transportation Board covering the required recordation fee.

Kindly return stamped copies of the enclosed document to the undersigned.

Very truly yours,

Robert W. Alvord

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PARTIAL RELEASE

SURFACE TRANSPORTATION BOARD

Allfirst Bank, with a mailing address of 25 South Charles Street, Baltimore, MD, 21201 hereby releases all of its right, title and interest in and to, the railcars more specifically described on Schedule 1 attached hereto (the "Railcars"), all leases of the Railcars, including but not limited to that certain lease dated September 5, 2001, by and between Midwest Railcar Corporation and Commercial Metals Company and all proceeds of the foregoing, including all rentals and all insurance proceeds thereof. This Partial Release relates to the Memorandum of Chattel Mortgage and Security Agreement Modification Agreement by and between Allfirst Bank and Midwest Railcar Corporation recorded with the Surface Transportation Board on October 23, 2001 under Recordation Number 23416-D.

	Allfirst Bank
	By: Dicher M. for
	Its: Vice President
STATE OF MARYLAND))SS.
COUNTY OF SACINORE)
I, the undersigned, a Notary	Public in and for the said County, in the State

I, the undersigned, a Notary Public in and for the said County, in the State aforesaid, do hereby certify that Licrac M. Fol., as Vice resident of ALLFIRST BANK, who is personally known to me to be the same person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing instrument appeared before me this day in person and acknowledged that he/shc signed and delivered the said instrument as his/her own free and voluntary act and as the free and voluntary act of said association, for the use and purposes therein set forth.

GIVEN under my hand and notarial seal, this 22 day of January, 2002.

My Commission Public STATE OF MARYLAND
Country of Boltimore

My Commission Expires September 20, 2005

Schedule 1 To

Partial Release by ALLFIRST BANK

7452 cf Woodchip Gondolas

Current	Prior
Car Number	Car Number
MWCX100124	SP354988
MWCX100134	SP354897
MWCX100135	SP354979
MWCX100137	SP355047
MWCX100141	SP354872